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TO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SWEL, ET, US

SUBJECT: HARAR EYE CLINIC

REF: ADDIS ABABA 12646

1. SUBJECT DISCUSSED WITH DR. LARRY KING WHO IN TURN HAS DISCUSSED IT WITH IEF BOARD. IEF STILL DESIRES SOME SORT OF WRITTEN ASSURANCE RE EPMG DESIRE FOR PROGRAM. IN VIEW OF EMBASSY COMMENTS, HOWEVER, IEF HAS DECIDED THAT IT MAY HAVE GREATER CHANCE OF SUCCESS OF OBTAINING SUCH ASSURANCE QUICKLY BY ADDRESSING ITSELF DIRECTLY TO EPMGRATHER THAN THROUGH EMBASSY. DR. KING IS THEREFORE WRITING TO MINISTER OF HEALTH, REFERRING TO THEIR CONVERSATIONS IN ADDIS ABABA AND REQUESTING CONFIRMATION OF EPMG POSITION IN WRITING.

2. EMBASSY SHOULD THEREFORE TAKE NO FURTHER ACTION ON THIS MATTER. WE WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED ON RESULTS OF IEF EFFORT.  
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